

WILL WITHDRAW.

Dr. Hunter Issues a Signed Statement at Frankfort.

INTEREST GROWING GREATLY.

Markets Excited In This Country and In London.

DISTASTROUS SNOWSLIDES IN THE WEST.

HUNTER 53.
BLACKBURN 38.
MARTIN 12.
BOYLE 5.
STONE 1.
Necessary to a choice 55. No election—Hunter still too short.

Frankfort, April 20.—There is a considerably increased interest in the Senatorial election since Dr. Hunter this morning issued a signed statement declaring his intention to withdraw from the race this week. The Blackburn following are exceedingly anxious to keep Dr. Hunter on the track for fear the elements of the party may be united on some other man.

Every effort is making by all parties to have every member present. Senator Ogilvie is here, having been brought by special train. Senator-elect Hager is also here.

An effort will be made to seat Mr. Bell and should it succeed there will be sixty-nine Republicans, opposed by the same number of all other parties.

The ballot today resulted in the usual shortage of two votes for Dr. Hunter. In detail the vote was Hunter 53; Blackburn 38; Martin 12; Boyle 5; Stone 1. Required to elect 55. No choice. Mr. Stone was absent and not paired.

Second and third ballots were taken without change, after which the assembly adjourned. It is believed a new caucus will be held this evening.

EXCITED MARKET.

The Chicago Board of Trade Witnesses a Great Sea Saw.

Chicago, April 20.—The most excited market that has been witnessed in this city for years was seen on 'change today. The market fluctuations covered a range of several cents and so quickly did they come and go that fortunes were made and unmade in a twinkling. The most inveterate gambler could not wish for a better field for his guess work.

London, April 20.—The stock market has been exceedingly excited today. There is a disposition to decline in a number of European stocks and Greek stocks fell four cents.

SNOW SLIDES.

Three in South Dakota and Two in Utah.

Richton, S. D., April 20.—The approach of milder weather has caused the partial melting of ice and snow, which has resulted in a number of slides, three of which have occurred in this state and two in Utah. Six deaths resulted from the slides in this state so far as known and five in Utah.

REGULAR ELECTION

In Progress at Metropolis Today.

Mayor, Judge, Council and All to Be Elected.

Today the regular city election is in progress at Metropolis, Ill., and there is great enthusiasm. A mayor, city council and the entire city ticket will be elected. The Republicans will, as usual, according to reports, carry everything.

VIOLET RECEPTION

By the Young Ladies of the Catholic Church.

The violet reception to be given at the Harbour building on Broadway by the young ladies of the Catholic church this evening should not be forgotten. The arrangements are such as to guarantee an evening of rare pleasure to those who attend. The senses of sight, hearing and taste will be eloquently appealed to. There will be an abundance of beautiful flowers, not to mention beautiful girls. Music by the opera house orchestra and a table set with all the delicacies of the season.

The cause is a worthy one, the proceeds to be applied to the church building fund. Don't miss it.

Telephone 161 for wallpaper and window shades. C. C. Lee, 192.

20,000 SLAIN.

Terrible Carnage in the Greco-Turkish War.

TURKS THE HEAVIEST LOSERS.

Greeks Recovering Their Positions Lost in First Battles.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK BY TORPEDO.

New York, April 20.—The carnage on the Greek frontier is said to be something fearful. Fighting has been almost constant and Greek advances received here today estimate the number killed to date at 20,000.

London, April 19.—9 p. m.—Gen. Smolenski, ex-Minister of War, is in command of 14,000 Greeks at Revena, not far from Tyrnavos, northwest of Larissa. At this point Edhem Pasha, closely pressed, was nearly taken prisoner. His plan was to force the pass of Reveni, to enter the plain of Larissa, to cut off the retreat of the Greek army with his cavalry, and thus take Larissa without resistance. But this plan was defeated.

Gen. Demopoulous, at the head of one Greek division, forced the Turkish line at Boughazi, close to Tyrnavos and Gen. Mavromichale broke through at Krinikos. The two generals united their troops near Damasi.

The news of his success at Reveni, and of the imminent fall of Prevesa has changed the dismay caused at Athens by the loss of Milouna into the wildest rejoicing. The latest advices tonight are that the Greek troops are advancing to re-occupy their positions at Milouna and at Gritzovali, the latter of which, it is alleged, was abandoned owing to a misunderstanding by the general in command who interpreted as an order of retreat what was really intended as an order of advance.

Capt. Tagarde, who was wounded at Gritzovali, shot himself in order to avoid falling into the hands of the Turks. The Greeks report that the Turks lost 7,000 killed and wounded at Reveni, but this estimate is probably excessive. The Greek engineers constructed a bridge at Pachyskalos to enable their troops to cross the river. It is stated that the Turkish forces attacking Reveni numbered more than 10,000 men.

As details come in it becomes more and more apparent that the fighting in Molouna pass was of the most stubborn and savage character. The Turks fought like devils, and the Greeks resisted with the spirit of their ancestors. The most inexplicable fact in connection with the whole engagement is the comparatively small number of killed. All the special correspondents agree to this. The Turks seem to have fired as wildly with their rifles at Molouna pass as they did at Arta, where the fighting consisted of an artillery contest between the rival batteries on each side of the river, lasting about four hours in the afternoon. There they fired only one out of five shots with any effect, and their batteries were soon silenced by the Greeks, whose marksmanship was very much superior. The Turkish losses at Arta are believed to have been very heavy. On the Greek side there was not a man killed.

Larissa, April 19, 5 p. m.—The Greeks have defeated the Turks at Reveni and two Greek brigades have entered Turkish territory in different directions and penetrated to Damasi, northeast of Zarkos. Another division invading to flank the Turks, who are retreating in disorder. Heavy fighting is in progress at Gritzovali. It has been going on since noon. The Greeks are trying to recapture the place.

Athens, April 20, 1 a. m.—The Greeks have occupied several strategic positions around Damasi including Viglia. Three thousand armed peasants have joined the troops. It is alleged that 22,000 Turks attacked Reveni.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK.

A General Panic Prevails at Solonica.

Solonica, April 19.—A Turkish torpedo boat has sunk the Greek steamer Athens in the Gulf of Solonica. On board were insurgents and members of various secret societies. A general panic prevails here. All vessels are prohibited from leaving the gulf. The Turks have seized the Greek steamer Kephallion.

The "Black Cats." The "Black Cats" have a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight to arrange the details of their campaign. Capt. Wallace wishes to meet all of his side tonight.

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AMERICAN INTEREST

Will Be Protected in the Mediterranean.

Washington, April 20.—The President is taking an active interest in the struggle between the Greeks and the Turks and is being constantly advised by the department of state as to the latest developments in the war. He wishes to insure the adoption of all proper and usual precautions for the protection of all American interests in the Mediterranean. Secretary Sherman came over to the White House this afternoon and the President immediately left all other business to confer with his Premier on the subject. Secretary Sherman previously had a long talk with Mr. Angell, who being about to start for Turkey the latter part of May, is naturally deeply concerned in the developments in that turbulent quarter. With the fleet of American warships now off the Turkish shore it is felt that all that prudence could prescribe has been done. It may be that within a short time some question will arise that will involve action of some sort on our part, arising, perhaps, from attempts by both Turks and Greeks to blockade each other's ports, which possibly might interfere with the introduction of some American products, but at present this is a remote contingency.

SUPT. HARAHAH

Passes Through, En Route From Chicago to Louisville.

Special Policeman Walters Out Again.—Other Railroad Notes.

Supt. W. J. Haraiah, of the Illinois Central, passed through the city today at noon in private car No. 6, enroute to Louisville from Chicago. His family accompanied him, and the party had been absent for several days.

Claim Agent John G. Miller left today for Russellville on business.

Special officer J. L. Watkins, of the Illinois Central, is out of the hospital after being disabled for several days by a sprained ankle.

Mr. Charles Beeler, formerly of city, but now of the Louisville and Southern, is in a precarious condition at Louisville. He fell not long since and had his wrist and shoulder broken and was otherwise badly injured.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS.

Fiscal Court Committee Lets Two.

The Cincinnati Bracket Bridge Company Successful.

Justices Hartley, Dunaway and Winchester, of the fiscal court, this afternoon let two important bridge contracts.

Mr. W. W. Miles, superintendent of erection of the Cincinnati Bracket Bridge Company, was the successful bidder. The contract for constructing a steel bridge over Morrow's Ford, about six miles from the city on the Broadway road, was let for \$625. The contract for erecting a bridge over Massac Creek at Wilmington, seven miles from the city, was let for \$697.

COUNTY SCHOOLS.

They Are Now All Dismissed Until Fall.

Last One Closed Last Friday Afternoon at Milan.

Supt. Rouse, of the county schools, reports that all the various schools throughout the county have closed until fall.

That of Prof. W. A. Edwards, at Milan, was the last, being dismissed Friday with appropriate exercises. The close of the county schools, Supt. Rouse says, was later this year than usual, owing to illness among the teachers and the erection of new buildings.

Some of them will resume as early as August, but the majority will not begin until the following month.

Masonic Notice. Plain City Lodge, No. 419, F. & A. M. will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in stated communication. All visiting brothers welcomed. B. B. DAVIS, W. M. GEO. O. INGRAM, Sec.

The time is here. Scott Hardware Co. have the best screen doors and windows at just half anybody else's price. Stop in and see. 204

Burial at Oak Grove. The funeral of the late Mrs. J. M. Walton took place at 10 o'clock today, burial at Oak Grove.

A WATERY GRAVE.

Colored Man Drowned While After a Horse.

MET HIS FATE IN BACKWATER.

Thomas Howard Dies While Working to Earn \$5.—Body Recovered.

CORONER NANCE HOLDS AN INQUEST.

John Howard, colored, was drowned on the farm of Mr. Elsey Jones, in the Clark's river vicinity, while attempting to disentangle a horse belonging to Mr. Jones from some drift and underbrush in the back water late yesterday afternoon.

The horse had attempted to swim across the back water and became trapped in the floating bushes. Howard offered to extricate him for \$5, which proposition the owner accepted. But before he reached the animal the latter disengaged himself and swam out, leaving the would-be rescuer in several feet of icy water. He started to swim back to bank, but was seized by cramps and drowned.

Only a short time after the drowning the body was recovered, Howard having been seen when he sank by several, who were unable to render him any assistance.

This forenoon Coroner Nance went out and held an inquest over the remains, the evidence and verdict being in accordance with the above.

Howard was about 25 years of age and lived near Stiles. The remains were buried this afternoon.

TWO FRANCHISES SOLD.

Mayor Yeiser Sells the Steam Heating Franchise.

Also the Right of Way Street Railway Franchise Down Twelfth Street.

Mayor Yeiser yesterday sold to the highest bidder two important franchises. The steam heating franchise, which gives to the purchaser thereof the right to construct, maintain and operate a system of steam heating pipes, was sold to Mr. A. E. Einstein, of the Paducah Electric Company, for \$150.

The right to construct and operate a street railway line down Twelfth street, from Trimble to Rotterg's, instead of over the route now used by the People's Line, which franchise was asked by the People's Company, was sold to Mr. Einstein for \$10, the company relinquishing its right of way over the streets now used on that portion of its line desired to be changed.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lacy Grain Company.)
Chicago, Ill., April 20.—May wheat opened at 73½-23½, highest 74½, closed at 73½.
May corn opened at 24¼ and closed at 24¼.
May oats opened at 17 and closed at 17¼.
June cotton opened at \$6.98 and closed at \$6.97.
Chicago cash sales, 95,000.
Exports today, 119,000.
Bradstreet's report decrease in world's visible, 2,948,000.
N. W. receipts 290 cars.

WAS'N'T ROBBED.

Only Gave His Money to a Friend to Keep.

Frank Lawrence complained at police headquarters today that he had been robbed of about \$60 last night. A couple of women were questioned, but after a thorough investigation it was found that Lawrence had given his money to a friend, to keep.

Noah's Ark is known all over Paducah as the originator of low prices and they imitate no one but originate the special sale prices now given to Paducahans. Their special Easter offering next Wednesday will be another recordy smasher.

AN IRISH EXILE.

The Play at Morton's Opera House Tonight.

The play at Morton's opera house tonight will be "An Irish Exile," in four acts, by the Ford Stock Company.

An important regular meeting of the Columbian club will be held tonight. All members are earnestly requested to come early, as the meeting will be called promptly at 8 o'clock. It is desired to adjourn in time to attend the supper given by the young ladies in the Bloomfield building on Broadway.

CHARGE OF ARSON

Preferred Against George McEly, of Metropolis.

ARRESTED HERE THIS MORNING.

Is Indicted With Dave Peters for Setting Fire to the Latter's Grocery.

WENT BACK WITHOUT A REQUISITION.

George McEly, a young man of Metropolis, was arrested this morning about 2 o'clock by Officers Frank Orr and Jeff Barnhart, on a warrant sworn out by Illinois authorities charging him with arson. He was found at the home of Violet Wiley, on North Tenth street, and claims that the woman is a half-sister.

Deputy Sheriff John W. Evers telegraphed Marshal Collins yesterday forenoon from Metropolis to arrest young McEly, who could not be located until last night.

The officer arrived in the afternoon and swore out a warrant against a young man charging him with arson and being a fugitive from justice. He was arrested as detailed above and committed to the lockup, where he remained until this morning.

He was taken before Judge Sanders, evinced a desire to return to Metropolis without a requisition, and was turned over to the officer. He claims to be ignorant as to the charge against him, and in conversation with a St. Louis reporter this morning expressed himself as being at a loss to know whose house he is charged with burning, but says he is innocent and can easily establish the fact.

Deputy Sheriff Evers declined to make any statement relative to the case, refusing to divulge the name of owner of the house alleged to have been burned, on the plea that there were accomplices in the crime who are yet to be caught.

From other persons of Metropolis, however, it was learned that young McEly was jointly indicted with Dave Peters for setting fire to the latter's grocery in Metropolis last winter.

A brief history of the case was given in the Sun a few days ago in connection with Peter's suit against the insurance company for the collection of damages.

A man named George Williams claimed that Peter gave him \$25 to burn the house and promised him \$25 more when the job was completed. Williams bought a shanty boat with the money, and went down the river without doing as he agreed, but returned to testify. The case of Peter's against the insurance company to force a payment of loss has not been decided.

The grand jury, which is now in session at Metropolis, at once took the matter under investigation, and it is understood, in addition to indicting Peters and young McEly for arson, there is yet another young man who has not been apprehended. The indictment was returned yesterday.

McEly, no doubt anticipating something of the kind, left Metropolis Sunday and crossed the river. He then walked to Paducah, arriving yesterday. After telegraphing Chief Singery last night, a deputy sheriff of Illinois went out in the county with a deputy sheriff of McCracken, but they did not find the fugitive, it falling to the lot of Officers Orr and Barnhart to get him. He left on the 11 o'clock boat for Metropolis in charge of the officer, and did not appear to feel any alarm.

FERRY BOAT.

Will Soon Be Able to Resume Her Upper Landing Trips.

The ferryboat Bettie Owen will be able to resume her regular daily trips to the Illinois shore opposite the city when the river has fallen three feet more. The farmers of Illinois and the merchants and traders of Paducah will hail a resumption of these trips with joy, as it will mean an increase in trade.

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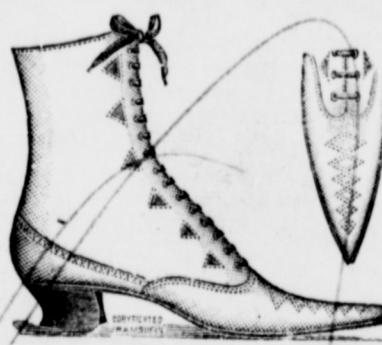
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W. C. T. U. MEETING.

"Sabbath Observance" the Subject for Consideration Tomorrow.

The W. C. T. U. will consider at its meeting Wednesday, April 1, "Sabbath Observance."

This is a regular department of the organization under the National Superintendent, Mrs. Varilla F. Tabor, of New Jersey.

The aim of this department is to educate and arouse the public intellect and conscience through leaflets, press articles, petitions and all other available means to the religious, scientific and other reasons for Sabbath observance, especially raising a higher practical standard among professed Christians and testing our own lives by the word of God.

Also to secure and maintain good Sabbath laws and usages, thus protecting all in their right to a civil rest day and fostering morality.

The Paducah local union will work in harmony with the Ministerial Association in endeavoring to enforce legal Sabbath observance.

The influence of the mother on her own home circle and the visitor within her gates, will give the right direction to church attendance and avoidance of public amusements upon the day of rest.

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The union meets in lecture room of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at 8:30 Wednesday, April 21. All ladies in the city cordially invited to attend.

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ITALIANS are flocking to the sup-
port of the Greek standard by the
hundred. There is not much kin-
ship between the Greeks and the Ro-
mans, but there is a common hatred
of the Turk among the masses.

GOLD mining properties of South
Africa have declined in value in
eighteen months from \$600,000,000
to a little over \$200,000,000. The
Australian mines have also lost in
value, while the American mines have
steadily gained.

It was a sorry Easter Sunday on
the Greco-Turkish frontier. The
day of the risen Lord, the Prince of
Peace was one of blood and carnage.
Perhaps it was appropriate that the
unspeakable Turk should break forth
in rapine and murder on a Christian
nation on this of all other days.

MR. SEWALL, of Maine, who was
half the Popercatic candidate for
Vice President, looks upon the spring
elections as having no significance
from the standpoint of national poli-
tics. He adds that the people of the
East are disposed to give the admin-
istration of President McKinley a fair
trial before condemning it.

THAT Turkey and Greece should
have afflicted the world with ac-
counts of battles and bloodshed be-
fore they gave some lessons to a long
suffering reading public in the pro-
nunciation of their proper names
was an unpardonable oversight. The
character of her names interferes
materially with the sympathy that
would otherwise be extended to little
Greece.

THE Spanish commandant in the
Philippine Islands reports that the in-
surrection there is practically sup-
pressed, we are told, and that there
are but 27,000 in revolt, and of these
20,000, are "in the act of sur-
rendering," yet we are informed that
the 40,000 troops that are to be with-
drawn from Cuba will be sent to the
Philippines. Somehow the stories
don't seem to blend harmoniously.
But then the same is true of many
of the Spanish stories recently told.

It is stated the Republican Sen-
ators will hold a caucus and settle all
differences on the tariff bill among
themselves before it is presented to
the Senate. This course is dictated
by the apparent necessity of united
action on the part of the Republicans
of the Senate before the bill can have
a reasonable show of passing. As
the Senate now stands, with vacan-
cies from at least two Republican
states, the margin for protection is
very narrow. It must draw one or
two votes, at least, from the silver
Republicans or Populists unless, as is
possible, one or more Democrats
shall be found ready to support the
bill. The consideration of the bill
by the Republicans before its intro-
duction will also place it in position
to be more promptly enacted.

BEFORE the Illinois legisla-
ture providing for an extension of
all street railroad franchises for fifty
years and providing for the payment
into the city treasury by every road
of from one to three per cent. of the
gross earnings, according to the popu-
lation of the cities in which they are
located. In cities of 200,000, after
five years the payment is to be five
per cent., and after twenty years
seven per cent. Provision is also
made for street railroad commission,
which will have an oversight of all
street railways and whose consent
must first be obtained before any
city council can grant a franchise,
and all franchises must be sold to the
highest bidder. Such a law certainly
has many good points, and would
have been worth millions to the cities
of the state had it been in force be-
fore the large systems were built.

THE naval department has a bill of
\$138,000 presented by the Cramps
for repairs to the cruiser Brooklyn,
made necessary by an accident that
occurred to her just after she went
into commission and before she had
gone to sea. She was built by the
Cramps and on learning of the ac-
cident they proposed to Secretary Her-
bert to make the repairs at actual
cost of material and labor on ac-
count of a professed personal inter-
est in the vessel and a desire to see
her at sea in good shape. It was es-
timated by naval experts the cost of
the repairs would be \$8,000 or \$10,-
000 and the bill of \$138,000 came
therefore as a great surprise. It is
pointed out that the firm is construct-
ing two torpedo boats with an aggre-
gate displacement of 123 tons for
\$128,000, less than their bill for the
"slight" repairs made on the Brook-
lyn for \$10,000. It is naturally
looked upon as an effort to "gouge"
the government.

It seems probable Baron Courcel,
the eminent French diplomat, at present
Ambassador to England, will be
selected as the fifth arbitrator in the
Venezuelan boundary dispute. On
the part of the American Republic
Chief Justice Fuller and Justice
Brewer, of the United States Supreme
Court, have been chosen. Baron
Herschel and Sir Richard Henn Col-
lins represent England. The court will
meet in Paris in the summer of 1898,
the preceding time being required for
the exchange of pleadings. In the mean-
time, and within three months of the
exchange of ratifications, the final ar-
bitrator must be chosen. As the
treaty is ratified by both governments,
the formal exchange of ratifications
will follow at an early day, either in
Washington or London, and negotia-
tions toward naming the fifth arbitrator
will immediately follow in order
that an agreement may be reached
within the three months prescribed.

A BETTER WAY.
On the day of the "great Carson
battle" an affair took place in France
which was much more chivalric and
esthetic than the pounding match at
Nevada's capital. It was a furious
duel with swords between two mas-
ters of the art of fencing, who dis-
played marvelous skill in fighting
hard without hurting each other. The
combatants were Chevalier Pini,
an Italian fencing master, and M.
Thomeguex, a Parisian swordsman
of great renown. The story of this
great combat is told in full by the
New York "Sun" correspondent
with great circumstantiality and de-
tail. Mark the wonderful self con-
trol and politeness that characterized
this combat. All in all we believe it
was a much nicer affair than our
prize fight. The story of the fight
is told as follows:

The grave responsibility of direct-
ing the combat, or in other words, ac-
ting as referee, fell upon M. Georges
Breitmayr. When the swords were
crossed and the usual "Go, gentle-
men!" was pronounced, the fight
began. M. Thomeguex, in a threat-
ening style, held his weapon well in
line, and, advancing, made several
feints for an opening. M. Pini re-
mained on the defensive, evidently
watching for a chance for a deadly
riposte, but fortune did not favor
him. Nevertheless, in this bout he
disarmed his adversary. He saluted;
his salute was returned. Evidently
the men were evenly matched. The
second bout was without incident, be-
yond giving an exhibition of splendid
swordsmanship.

In the third bout, Thomeguex,
fancying that he had wounded Pini
in the arm, lowered his weapon. The
surgeons rushed in and found that
Pini was not touched.

The fourth bout was furious. With
lightning rapidity Pini drove his
weapon at Thomeguex's chest, but a
vigorous parry sent it to the ground.
The point landed on a stone. The
sword was bent like a reed and ren-
dered worthless. Another sword was
handed to the Italian professor, and
the fifth bout was without incident.
The combatants were winded.

In the sixth bout the fight was
stopped by the seconds, who believed
that M. Pini was wounded in the
arm. He was unhurt.

The duellists now faced each other
for the seventh bout. They bounded
at each other, lunging with wonder-
ful force and parrying with equal
skill, until the point of Pini's weapon
reached the guard of Thomeguex's,
and, for the second time, the former's
weapon was bent.

After a little time it was repaired,
and the eighth bout was begun with
furious attacks on the part of Thome-
guex. Pini gave ground, watching
for a riposte. Apparently his chance
presented itself, and he sent in a ter-
rific thrust at Thomeguex's breast.
Some of the spectators shuddered,
and many of them thought the man
had been run through or, at least,
badly wounded, but a parry, that is
described as "something marvelous"
by the experts who saw it, saved him,
and, when the seconds
and surgeons rushed in, they found
him unhurt and smiling.

In the ninth bout M. Thomeguex
was wounded in the right cheek. He
declared that it was merely a scratch
and insisted upon going on, but the
surgeons insisted that the internal
hemorrhage interfered with his
breathing to such a degree that he
was in a condition of inferiority. M.
Breitmayr then stopped the comba-

The Chevalier Pini advanced to-
ward M. Thomeguex and offered him
his hand. The latter grasped it,
muttered some complimentary re-
marks, and the two men left the du-
eling ground fast friends.

SPANISH OUTRAGES.

Fiendish Destruction of Life in
Revenge for Defeats.

Havana, via Key West, Fla.,
April 17.—San Maria, a small town
in the southeastern portion of this
province, near Rosario, was totally
destroyed by the Spanish guerrillas
Tuesday night. On the 11th a Cu-
ban force camped near there and
procured water for their horses from
the public well of the place. No
particular aid or welcome was ex-
tended to them, but this slight favor
was reported to the Spanish and they
vowed that the place should be de-
stroyed. Capt. Sartillo, with his
band of Spanish guerrillas, raided
the place Tuesday. The leading men,
some thirty-five in number, were
arrested and brought before him.
He then questioned them sharply
as to why they gave the insur-
gents aid. He was told the cir-
cumstances, but he refused to be-
lieve them, and stated that the town
helped the Cuban cause and therefore
it should be destroyed at once.

The women of the place came be-
fore him and implored him not to de-
stroy their property. He insulted
them, and told them that he would
give them five minutes in which to
remove their possessions from the
houses. Before the five minutes had
elapsed, however, his soldiers began
pillaging the houses and setting fire
to them. Whenever they found any
of the owners taking out anything
which they fancied, the soldiers
knocked them down and took the
things away from them. In less than
two hours the place was a mass of
ruins. There were about 200 inhabi-
tants there with not a roof to cover
them. Many of them were wo-
men and children. The guerrilla
captain selected fifteen men and
had them shot in the public square
as an "object lesson." The men were
forced to leave the place, and go out
in the open country under threat of
being killed at once if they disobeyed.
When the women and children started
to follow they were stopped. There
were nearly seventy-five women and
girls who were kept in one building,
where the guerrillas left standing, for
twenty-four hours, exposed to cruel
treatment by the guerrillas and of-
ficers. The guerrillas left the follow-
ing night, after burning that build-
ing. It is also reported that eight or
ten of the women were killed after-
ward. This can not be verified.

A courier who came in from near
Santa Clara yesterday reports that
while passing through a small railroad
station about twenty miles outside
the city limits he came upon an open
trench containing twenty-five bodies
of women and children. He recog-
nized some of them as being refugees
who had been at Matanzas, but who
had left there to go into the interior
for food. From his report it is un-
derstood that they were surprised by
a guerrilla force and cut down.
A Spanish gunboat while cruising
near Carabanch, north coast of Santa
Clara, was fired upon from the shore
by Cuban sharpshooters and five men
were killed. The gunboat drew off
until out of range, but the next
morning started inshore, and the
captain landed a party of thirty or
forty men. They proceeded inland
about two miles, where there was a
settlement of about forty persons who
had been given permission by the
commandant at Cardenas to cultivate
their premises for the benefit of the
soldiers. The captain of the gun-
boat accused them of firing on his
boat the day previous, and, notwith-
standing their denials, he burned all
the huts, firing upon the helpless men
and women as they rushed out of the
burning buildings. It is said that
twenty-four persons were killed in this
atrocious manner.

BRIENSBURG.

To the Editor of the Sun.

The little sleepy town of Briens-
burg does get on a "high" some-
times. The convention that meets
here the first day of May promises to
be one of the largest days this little
village has witnessed for some time.
The Populists and Republicans meet
on that day to name the next officers
of this (Marshall) county. The Re-
publicans will get three or four men
of the list.

This little place is noted through-
out the press on account of the mysteri-
ous murder of Daisy Sullivan, near
here last fall.

Dr. A. H. Freeman, now rides a
"bike."

Hon. J. Will Graham has gone to
Nashville on business.

Mr. W. H. Fields has moved down
to Coy, this county.

We are informed that a few Re-
publicans do not want the party to go
in the Briensburg convention, but
just a few can't rule the whole party.

By taking a hand in the conven-
tion, we will elect three or four men,
whereas if we put out a full ticket
independently it would mean defeat,
and equal to endorsing the Demo-
cratic ticket.

The airship has not been seen here
yet, though it will soon "show up."

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THE CITY SOLONS.

Gathered In Monthly Conclave
at City Hall.

THE GRAVEL ORDINANCE.

Receives Its First Passage.—
Steam Heating Franchise.

SCHOOL BOARD ASKS A 50 CENT LEVY.

Every councilman was in his seat
when Mayor Yeiser rapped to order
last night at 7:30 o'clock and each of
the twelve beamed back an echo of
the Mayor's genial smile. It was
evident, figuratively speaking, that
the members had rolled up their
sleeves and spat upon their alternate
hands with a view to transacting lots
of business.

Clerk Cole read the minutes of the
last meeting.
The following bills were allowed:
Streets.....\$ 40.40
City Jail..... 25.50
T. P. Carter..... 1.80
J. H. Wilcox..... 1.80
Cemetery..... 10.00
City Husbands..... 1.00
Paper account..... 2.40

ORDINANCES.
An ordinance authorizing the city
of Paducah to sell under certain con-
ditions its stock in the Paducah and
Clark's River, the Paducah and May-
field and the Paducah and North
Ballard gravel roads to the county at
prices heretofore named was read.
This being the second reading of the
ordinance it was passed by a unani-
mous vote.

Mr. Farley spoke regarding the or-
dinance, which he said he was in fa-
vor of with one exception. This ex-
ception related to the Clark's river
road, where emphasis was laid on the
matter of "waivered stock." He said
the stock in the Clark's river road
was not watered stock and advanced
arguments to prove his assertion. He
said the dividends for twenty years
had been used to improve the road,
including the building of two expen-
sive iron bridges. This he thought
justified the issuing of more stock.
Mr. Farley stated that 35 cents on
the dollar had been offered for the
road. He believed that was insuffi-
cient.

Accordingly he offered an amend-
ment that an amount not exceeding
40 cents be allowed for the city's
share in the road.

Mr. Kamleiter stated that he was
in favor of the amendment.
Mr. Rinckleff of the committee
which formed the schedule of prices
for free roads, opposed the amend-
ment stating that the committee had
considered 35 cents an ample, in fact
a full price.

Mr. Livingston favored the amend-
ment.
Mr. Barnes said that if the council
refused to allow the desired five cents
on the dollar, additional, it might re-
sult in preventing the sale. For that
reason he favored Mr. Farley's
amendment.

Mr. Williamson desired that the
business be settled.

Mr. Barnes spoke again in favor of
the amendment.
Mr. Williamson made a few more
remarks opposing it. The amend-
ment was put to a vote, ayes 8
noes 2.

Mr. Williamson offered another
amendment to the effect that the
county be allowed to take any part
or all of the city's stock of the gravel
roads.

Mr. Farley opposed this amend-
ment. He desired that all the city's
stock be turned over at one time and
that the city's stock be not disposed
of by piece-meal.

Mr. Williamson defended his
amendment.

Mr. Carter opposed it.

Mr. Rinckleff seconded the amend-
ment. Then Mr. Barnes spoke
against it.

Mr. Williamson defended his
amendment. He wanted one road
made free, even if all of them could
not be made free at one time.

Mr. Barnes said to free one road
and make the people living on some
other road pay toll as well as be
taxed for freeing a road in another
part of the county by which they
could obtain no benefit, would en-
courage lawlessness.

Mr. Kamleiter opposed the amend-
ment as also did Messrs. Barnes and
Livingston.

The amendment was put to a vote:
Ayes 3, noes 7. The amendment
was lost.

The amended ordinance was given
its first passage by the following
vote: Ayes 7, noes 3.

Mr. Carter reported that the spe-
cial committee, of which he was
chairman, had been unable to agree
with Mrs. Warten for the purchase
of property at Ninth and Broadway.
A resolution was passed instructing
the council Attorney to condemn the
property.

A report from Street Inspector
Cosby regarding recent work was
filed.

Mr. Starks, of the relief committee
read an opinion from the city attor-
ney that the Y. M. C. A. property
was exempt from taxation. A mo-
tion to exempt the property was
passed by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Barnes, of the sewerage com-
mittee, stated that field plans and
specifications regarding sewerage
would be ready for a report Thurs-
day, when a special meeting of the
council will be held to pass upon the
plans.

Mayor Yeiser stated that Mr. Liv-
ingston desired to withdraw from the
license committee by exchanging into
some other committee. No change
was made, however.

Mr. Livingston stated that Potter
Brothers desired coffee house license
on Thirteenth street in Rowlandtown.
Petitions for and against the grant-
ing of the license were presented. A
motion to refer the matter to a spe-
cial committee was lost by a vote of
8 to 4.

Mr. Barnes moved that the peti-

tions regarding the granting of the
license be read at the next meeting.
Carried.

Mr. Kamleiter, of the fire com-
mittee, stated that he had the pleasure
of meeting Mr. Johnson, commissioner
for the fire underwriters of Ken-
tucky and Tennessee, who is here to
re-rate the city and stated that Mr.
Johnson had said that Paducah need-
ed no more fire protection. Mr.
Johnson had added that Paducah
would be rated as a first-class city,
thus saving the city between \$10,000
and \$20,000 a year.

NEW BUSINESS.
Mr. Barnes stated that Dr. Pra-
thers desired permission to grade and
gravel at his own expense half of the
alley leading from Clay to Harrison
streets between Tenth and Twelfth.
Mr. Barnes moved that the citizens
owning property on that alley be con-
sulted regarding the grading of the
entire alley. Motions regarding
right of way through certain prop-
erty in the South side, with a view
to improvement of alleys carried.

Mr. Starks read a petition from
W. H. Riecke asking for a release
from taxation for five years on his
plant, the People's Ice Factory. Re-
ferred to the relief committee, with
authority to report.

In regard to the charges brought
against Chain Gang Keeper Francis
Mr. Starks stated that the committee
had decided the evidence offered to
sustain charges insufficient. It was
moved that all prisoners worked on
the streets be securely shackled and
that a portable water closet be pro-
vided for their use. Concurred in.

Mr. Carter moved that a stove and
\$20 in cash be allowed for Mr. Bur-
gess, keeper of the city pest house.
Mr. Barnes opposed the motion, as
also did Mr. Leibel.

Mr. Bell favored the motion. Mr.
Starks opposed.

Mr. Barnes wanted an investiga-
tion. Mr. Livingston moved to refer
the matter back to the relief com-
mittee. Mr. Williamson seconded this
motion.

County Judge Tully, who was
present, stated that assistance had
been rendered to persons, among
whom he believed the name of Mr.
Burgess could be found.
Mr. Livingston changed his amend-
ment so as to refer the matter to a
special committee. The mayor named
Messrs. Rinckleff, Dipple and
Kamleiter.

Mr. Kamleiter stated that Dr.
Murrell wanted authority to erect an
iron livery stable in the rear of his
property near Jefferson and Fourth.
City Engineer Wilcox stated that he
had declined to issue a permit for
building the structure because it
would be composed of wood, covered
with corrugated iron, and being of a
wooden frame it stood within the re-
strictions imposed by the fire limit
ordinance. The action of the city
engineer was sustained.

Mr. Kamleiter read a request that
action be taken regarding the drain-
ing of backwater from Third street
near Harrison. Referred to street
inspector with power to act.

The street inspector was ordered to
inform the Paducah Street Railway
that it must attend to the condition
of its tracks on the South Side.

Mr. Dipple reported in favor of
covering the Marshall's office with
lineoleum. Carried.

Motion to buy hose for sprinkling
purposes about the city hall, carried.

Mr. Rinckleff read a communica-
tion from Mr. Quigley, attorney for
the I. C. railroad, regarding the re-
cently granted river front right-of-
way.

Mr. Rinckleff read a report from
City Attorney Husbands regarding
the city's ownership of bonds in the
St. Louis and Paducah road, and
quoting instances where payment was
refused in similar cases because the
bonds were voted for illegally. Re-
ported filed.

Mr. Kirchoff stated that a "hose
wriggle" was needed for Yeiser
Park. Wages for the park custodian
were allowed.

Mayor Yeiser made remarks re-
garding sewerage details and heating
privileges.

Franchise for a heating plant was
granted A. E. Einstein.

A franchise for a street railway on
Twelfth street, extended, was granted
A. E. Einstein in consideration of
\$10.

Mayor Yeiser then unfolded the
market house ordinance recently
passed and made some remarks con-
cerning the need of new benches.
The Mayor did not veto it, and Mr.
Farley moved that a committee be
appointed to look into the matter.
Carried.

The Mayor appointed Messrs. Far-
ley, Bell and Barnes as such com-
mittee.

Mr. Farley read a paper from the
boot-blacks of Paducah asking that
the "shiners" be licensed \$5 per an-
num or more. Referred to the ordi-
nance committee.

Mr. Farley made a statement re-
garding the public school in Mecan-
sburg, and moved that a committee
be appointed to confer with the
school board regarding much needed
work at that building. The motion
prevailed and the mayor appointed as
the committee Messrs. Farley, Liv-
ingston and Dipple.

Mr. Livingston stated that Supt.
Harriman, of the I. C. R. R., had
stated the willingness of the railroad
to assist in defraying the expenses of
building a bulkhead against backwater
at the rear of the city, provided the
city give an estimate regarding the
probable cost of such an improve-
ment.

Mr. Barnes stated that Supt. Hills,
of the N. C. & St. L., was also
willing to help in the work. Motion was
made ordering the city engineer to
make estimates and reports. Carried.

A special committee was ap-
pointed to look into the matter, as
follows: Livingston, Barnes and
Williamson.

Mr. Barnes moved to have a com-
mittee appointed to look into the
matter of enlarging the market house
shed. Farley, Barnes and Bell were
named as this committee with in-
structions by the Mayor to act jointly
with the public improvement com-
mittee.

The New Howards were allowed

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for 33c;

One roll Union carpet worth 37 1-2
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Four rolls all wool filled carpet,
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Mayor Yeiser read a communica-
tion from the school board asking for
a levy of 50 cents, an increase of 15
cents, for the purpose of erecting a
new school building.

On motion of Mr. Rinckleff a com-
mittee was appointed to confer with
the school board regarding the main-<

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WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, April 20.—Increasing cloudiness and showers tonight and Wednesday. Warmer tomorrow.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

The condition of the weather in the central valleys is unsettled, but rains are very light. Frost is reported this morning as far south as Memphis. It is somewhat warmer in the West. There is a storm developing in Montana, which will probably cause a rapid rise in temperature during the next 24 hours. The Ohio and Mississippi rivers are reported falling at all points.

LOCAL MENTION.

Deeds and Transfers.

Louis and Amelia Koerner yesterday deeded to J. W. Little the Pool tract of land near Island Creek. Consideration, \$3,208.75.

\$4.99 will buy a 100 piece dinner set at Robins Glass and Queensware Co.'s Monday, April 26. 19a6

Residence at a Bargain.

To be sold at a sacrifice by May 1st, a choice residence. Apply to John G. Miller. 16a4

Another Elopement.

Mr. Thomas Ely and Miss Katie Purdon, of the Massac section of the county, eloped from Paducah yesterday and were married at Metropolis. The bride had been visiting here for two weeks and was joined by her lover.

Notice.

Bring on your old wheels and exchange them for new ones at 1744 PADUCAH CYCLE WORKS.

A False Alarm.

A burning fire at Mr. W. G. Whitfield's residence occasioned an alarm of fire about 7 o'clock last evening from box 23. The department responded, but its services were unnecessary.

The young ladies of the Catholic church are to give a violet reception at the Harbour building on Broadway April 20th. Music will be furnished by the Opera House orchestra and all delicacies of the season will be served. Proceeds go to new Church Building Society. 16a4

At An Advanced Age.

The funeral of Mrs. Fannie Douglas, of South Eighth street, who died yesterday, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was fifty-nine years old and leaves several children.

The Y. W. C. T. U. meets tonight at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Lizzie McFadden. 925 Clark street.

12c buys a nice Fruit Bowl in opal glass at the Robins Glass and Queensware Co.'s Monday, April 26. 19a6

The Six acknowledges receipt of an invitation to attend the opening frame of hall at Louisville between Louisville and Cleveland, April 22, '07. Our esteemed friend Barney Dreyfuss is treasurer, and as much of a base ball crank as ever.

On account of my removal to new quarters in the Leech block all my wallpaper and window shades, picture frames and moldings will be sold at great reduction to save expense of handling. C. C. Lee. (Telephone 161. 19a2

Good Company Gives a Good Performance.

The Ford Stock Company opened a week's engagement to a crowded house at Morton's last night, and made a good impression on Paducah theater goers. Mr. Clint Ford is a very fine orator, and has the advantage of pleasing support. The company is generally conceded to be the best popular price company that has visited here this season.

If your family is small you need only one of those 55-piece cottage sets to be had for \$3.98 at the Robins Glass and Queensware Co.'s Monday, April 26. 19a6

For big rolls of wallpaper telephone C. C. Lee, 161. 19a2

Notice.

One dark bay poney; blaze face; right front leg and right hind leg white nearly up to the knees; left front and left hind leg white up to the knees; short stumpy ears and very long hair; long black tail and stubby mane. The one that finds him and brings him to me will be well rewarded. The poney is three years old last spring. 1,207 North Eleventh street. He departed Friday April 19th. REV. D. D. DAVIS. 19a3w1

10c will buy a set of 6 good tumblers at Robins Glass and Queensware Co.'s on Monday, April 26. Over 20 dozen go at this price. 19a6

Account Grant's Monumental ceremonies the N. C. & St. L. railroad will sell tickets from Paducah to New York and return on April 23, 24 and 25 at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good to return until and on May 5, 1897.

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Fruits of all kinds at Calliss's.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. Harry Kellar is visiting in Lovelaceville.

Mrs. Wm. Gowens left at noon for Memphis.

W. F. Williams, of Anderson, Ind., is at the Palmer.

Dr. E. E. Sutherland returned this morning from Nashville.

Col. Gus G. Singleton is in from an extended trip.

Geo. W. Dixon, of Bear Spring, Tenn., was in the city today.

L. J. Friedman, an Evansville traveling man, is at the Palmer.

Constable W. H. McKee, of Florence station, is in the city today.

Miss Rosa McGinnis and Mabel Collier have returned from a visit to Creal.

Mr. J. J. Read returned this morning from a two days trip to Louisville.

Eldred Davis returned to Earlington today, after a visit to relatives in the city.

Attorney J. E. Robbins and Gus Thomas, of Mayfield, returned home this morning.

There will be a rehearsal of "Queen Esther" tonight under the direction of Prof. Davis.

Col. John Sontag, after a brief visit here, left on the Fowler this morning for Evansville.

Miss Mattie Vaughan left at noon for Springfield, Mo., on a visit to Mrs. Wm. Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rehkopf and daughter, Miss Dora, left last night for Louisville on a visit.

Hon. I. M. Quigley went up to Smithland, Livingston county, this morning on business.

Mr. Tom L. Baker returned to his home in Edyville this morning, after a visit to his brothers here.

Dr. Richard Walker, of Oehl-schlagler and Walker, left at noon for Dyersburg, on a brief visit.

Mr. S. C. Vaughan has returned from a six weeks' trip to Louisville in the interest of the A. O. U. W.

Rev. H. H. Brueckner, of the German Lutheran church, left at noon for Round Knob, Ill., on a visit to Rev. Messing.

Mr. W. B. Pace, who has been ill at the Palmer house, was able to leave this afternoon for Memphis, to be absent two days.

Mrs. M. Ungerleider and Miss Sadie Baer left today for Chicago, on a visit to the Messrs. Baer, who are now located in the "windy city."

Mr. Sol Dreyfuss left Sunday for Washington and Baltimore, to be absent for two weeks. He stopped over in Louisville to hear Ingersoll Sunday night.

Mr. W. W. Mills, superintendent of erection of the Cincinnati Bracket Bridge Company, and Mr. Frank Hanna, of the Massillon Bridge Company, Massillon, O., are in the city looking after bridge contracts.

BORROWED HORSES.

Mr. Nick Grief Will Make it Hot For Someone.

Mr. Nick Grief was at police headquarters this forenoon complaining that someone has been taking his horses from the "range" where he placed them to put them beyond the reach of backwater, riding them and doing with them as their fancy dictates.

He said that not long since he dreamed that something was wrong with them, and went up to find one or two missing. He subsequently ascertained that the miscreants had made arrangements with the band of gypsies to trade them off, but the gypsies backed out. Mr. Grief has learned the names of some of the young men, he says, and is of the opinion that they are destined to get into trouble.

TO VISIT HIS PLANTATIONS.

Mr. J. W. Willet Goes to Georgia.

Mr. J. W. Willet, the liveryman, left today for Americus, Ga., to look over his plantations there. He is going down on a several weeks' visit to the old folks, and carried about \$300 worth of presents to be distributed among the residents of his plantations. Mr. Willet owns a vast tract of land in southwestern Georgia, and this is his first visit for some time.

CHEAP RATES OVER THE I. C.

Y. M. C. A. at Mobile, Ala.

On April 19, 20 and 21 the Illinois Central Railroad Company will sell tickets to Mobile, Ala., and return at one fare for the round trip, good returning until and including May 1, 1897. Tickets will be on sale at Paducah Union Depot and city ticket office.

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SUPERVISORS.

They Will Finish on Thursday Next.

The board of supervisors will wind up its business Thursday. Today it began adding up the columns, and until this tedious task is completed little can be told of the changes or results.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Wm. Skelton's Case Given to the Jury.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS.

Returned Several More Indictments Which are Kept a Profound Secret.

HOB STEALING CASE ON TRIAL.

The case against Will Skelton, colored, charged with complicity in the John L. Johnson burglaries, for which he went to the penitentiary eight years, was concluded this forenoon, after being on trial two days.

The case against Henry Deadman, a half breed Indian, charged with hog stealing, was called this afternoon.

The grand jury this forenoon adjourned sine die, after returning a batch of indictments, the nature of which, as those preceding them, a profound secret. It is not known when bench warrants will be issued on the indictments just returned.

The accused are not in custody, but Sheriff Holland stated it might be a few days or it might be a month before bench warrants were issued.

Today's real estate transfers were: Master Commissioner Ed H. Puryear deeded to Dr. B. T. Frank, for \$21, some land in the county.

Amar Nichols deeded to Amanda Arnold, for \$5000, some property in the city.

Richard Yarbro and Nettie Lyles, and Louis Gardner and Ida Elder, colored, were fined \$20 and costs each for immorality in Judge Sanders' court today. They are a tough lot.

W. W. McClain was fined \$1 for drunkenness.

Two young men charged with racing on the streets, were accorded a postponement until tomorrow.

Riley Gay, colored, was given two years in the penitentiary yesterday for breaking into Attorney Dave Cross' room and stealing some wearing apparel.

Hannah House, colored, charged with abortion, and Harry Livingston, the bogus circus agent, will likely be released, as the grand jury failed to indict them.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Sebastian Jasper Rice Sees the Bullet in His Arm.

Another Experiment With the X-ray Machine This Morning.

Mr. Jasper Rice, of McLeansboro, Ill., strided into the Boyd-White Infirmary this forenoon. He is an old friend of Dr. Boyd. Doctors Robertson, Winston, Pichlers and others were present watching Dr. Boyd's new X-ray machine.

Mr. Rice is a survivor of the late war, and for years has carried around in his arm a bullet, which buried itself there in 1862. He volunteered to have the X-ray turned on him for the purpose of locating the hidden missile, just for the novelty of it.

After a moment's preparation he placed his hand between the Crook's tube and fluoroscope, and lo! the bullet was revealed as perfectly as if nothing intervened between it and the naked eye except a pane of window glass. The ball is in the fleshy part of the arm, and never came in contact with either nerve or bone, hence it has given the gentleman no trouble.

The doctors consider this one of the most successful experiments yet made, and McFadden photographed the bullet.

SUSPECTS RELEASED.

Colored Supposed Thieves Could Not Be Held.

S. Kelly and W. B. Brown, the negro suspects arrested a few days ago with a box of tan shoes, etc., supposed to have been stolen, were this afternoon released by Marshal Collins, no further advice having been received from Indianapolis. A telegram was received yesterday ordering the men held, but nothing more definite having been received they were liberated, but recognized to come back Thursday morning.

Excursion to New York.

"On account of the Grant monument ceremonial" at New York, N. Y., April 27, the Illinois Central Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets April 23, 24 and 25 at one and one-third regular one way first-class rate, good returning until May 5, 1897. For further information or tickets apply at Paducah Union depot or city ticket office.

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One week only.
Choice roasted coffee, per lb. 15c.
Choice barley, per lb. 3c.
Best evaporated peaches, per lb. 7 1/2 c.
Best sup. dried peaches, per lb. 3c.
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Best maple syrup, gal. 50c.
Best 3 lb. can table peaches, 10c.
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RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Items of Interest Relative to the Railroads and Railroad People.

N. C. AND ST. L. MILEAGE.
The flat has gone forth that Mileage's shanty is to have a new roof. So mote it be.

Brakeman Elbert Buck is now twisting the chains with Conductor Byers Robinson regularly.

Another work train was added to the caravan this morning. Pete Goodfellow, captain, with two lieutenants.

Engine 10 (N. C.) departed at 7 a. m. for ditching train duty. Sam Lowe and Phil Smith held down her cushions.

Dispatcher Will Hills was among the fishing party this a. m. He was full of advice but afraid to take the bath. Sensible.

Jno. Williams, the regular office porter, has been filling Bob Dunlap's place on the trains since the latter embraced matrimony.

Engineer Clute is again at the throttle, having gotten enough of the races at Little Rock and Memphis. There are others who had a sufficiency also.

After some ten days off with a sore hand Motorman Syd Childers is again on his run on South Sixth street. The patrons of the line are pleased to see Syd back again.

Ed, Turbeville, an old time fireman, after wandering far and near, has returned and again grasps a scoop on the iron steels of this pike. He is second out today.

Some of the I. C. boys were around this a. m. to know if "Mileage" would report the incidents that take place on their road. We would like to accommodate them but have no time to hunt them up. Send them over and we will do the rest.

The Memphis and Charleston road which was to have been sold this month by order of Judge Lorton has taken a new lease on life, an appeal having been granted, and the hearing cannot come up until next October.

John Smith, the veteran, has recovered from his late spell of sickness and returned to his duties today. He will call the stations and swing the duster on "My Captain," Conductor Alex Fulton's Jackson accommodation train.

Engineer Henry Buck tells a good joke on one of the employees who is a German. During the recent campaign one of the numerous candidates for one of the offices approached the teuton and said: "How are you, Casper? I have known you for twenty-five years and would like for you to cast your vote for me in this election and help me out."
"Yes," said Casper, "dat ish so, I bin knowin you for more as twenty five years and I will cast my vote not put you in, but to keep you out." It seems the Dutchman did know the candidate, as he got distanced in the race.

The proof sheets of "Mileage's" forthcoming book, now in the hands of the publisher, have been received. The title of the little book will be "The hot box on the red caboose or the downfall of Billie Swift." "Mileage" expects to derive an immense revenue from the sale of this latest, as the price of the book will be only ten cents, payable on the yearly installment plan. Orde's have already been received which more than exhaust the first edition of one hundred thousand copies, and there are some three or four hundred thousand freight train "circular artists" to be heard from yet.

Capt. J. R. Smith's moat, mere, bayou or whatever name you wish to call it, south of his warehouse on the corner of Sixth and Norton streets, was the scene of great activity and hilarity late last afternoon. During the recent high water the overflow was from six to ten feet deep all over it. As the waters began to recede some of the railroad boys secured a screen wire car door and placed it in front of the arched culvert under Sixth street, thus preventing the finny tribe from returning to their native element in the muddy waters of the Ohio. Yesterday afternoon the boys secured a sene and, although the aqua of the moat was as cold as a Dakota blizzard, and waist deep in places, they braved the dangers of agues, cramps and bad colds by wading in and dragging for the pieces.

A great crowd was soon collected along the banks of the fill on South Sixth. Prominent among them was Capt. Smith himself, who seemed to enjoy the sport with equal zest as the youngest urchin in the crowd. No doubt he remembered the times in his boyhood's days when he would stealthily secrete his hooks on a Sunday morning and lie away to the babbling brook, afraid to take his catch home after he had them on the string, and then told that Sunday school held in a long time. We have been there ourselves. Among the seiners was Jim Hood, Bill Owen, Emery Tabcock, Landford Weston, of the Mineral Well House, and several others. The fish was fast and furious. About fifty pounds was caught. This morning the sport was renewed, and the water having fallen within the banks of the branch which is full of willows, they were muddled, when

April Selling at Harbour's.

The New, the Beautiful, the Costly, at Inexpensive Prices.
So much to tell about, so little space to tell it in, so many new things coming and going that oft-repeated visits are necessary to keep in touch with our ever-changing stock.

More Millinery.
Another invoice of millinery will reach here this week. The strictly lovely and the irresistibly beautiful in hats and bonnets will be ready for your choosing. If you have special ideas of your own, come select the material and our artist will execute your ideas at most reasonable and money-saving prices.

Dress Goods.
Strong, honest and day light—we show dress goods under in our new quarters; the goods must be right here for the light is so strong it would magnify any fault in color or defect in weave.

Black Dress Goods.
Navy blues and novelties for spring wear. We offer attractive styles and prices inducements on all dress goods and will make it very much to the interest of all purchasers who will examine our stock for their dress goods wants.

Cotton Dress Stuffs.
A great stock, foreign cloths, too, so very dainty in fabric and so beautiful in printing can be further heightened in loveliness by the use of rich interlining. Are very well and high art goods at inexpensive prices.
New parcels have arrived.
We earnestly believe that we are selling the best \$1.3c, 10 and 12 1/2c hose that were ever sold in Paducah. 2000 yards in remnants of soft finished bleached domies on sale in our annex this week at 5c a yard.

1000 yards of figured piguet, just bought at a great sacrifice, once sold at 12 1/2c a yard, on sale in our annex this week at 5c a yard.

Handsome towels, Crashes, ch. ap. Table linens—prices cut. Matting bargains. Lace curtain inducements. We are glad of an opportunity to convince you that this is the store in which your trade is most appreciated.

This week we will begin a great shoe and slipper sale at special prices. We shall offer a staple line of shoes at exceedingly low prices. We believe that it will pay you to look here for your shoe wants.

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Table service and cooking conducted by ladies. We guarantee every meal clean and palatable.
J. WALTER SCOTT.

the boys caught about 100 pounds more with their hands.

Sket Manning, an old timer from away back, was among the boys yesterday and as usual was full of his anecdotes as a yellow jacket is of sting. He related an experience he lately went through on the Birmingham Mineral, in company with his parol John Ryan. They boarded a side-door Pullman at one of the stations late one dark night, intending to visit the city in search of a square meal and other luxuries, but a negro brakeman found them and invited them to hit the turf. They protested but in vain. They got off and followed the red lights as long as they were visible. The night was as dark as Erebus, and when they struck a trestle they hesitated, but finally decided to try to cross it. After slowly feeling their way for nearly half a mile, they saw the headlight of an engine approaching. They felt for a cap, but to their horror found them sawed off even with the end of the ties which were too close together for them to get through. Not knowing how high the trestle was they concluded to swing by their hands until the train should pass over them, but she slowed and Sket says by the time the caboose went by he was so exhausted that his hold broke and down he dropped. He was delighted to find that his feet had not been more than six inches from the ground all the time, but to prolong the agony of Pat he yelled to him to try and climb back on the trestle, saying "hold tight, Pat, I have not hit the bottom yet." Pat struggled but could not do so, and when he finally did fall he got even with Sket for his torturous joke by pasting him one in the jaw which made him measure his length in the slimy mud of the creek bottom.

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